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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.	7984
First Inventor	Robert David Piotrowski, et al.
Assignee	The Procter & Gamble Co.
Title	Method for Directing Consumers to Preferred Coffee Selection
Express Mail Label No.	EK251201585US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status  
(see 37 CFR §1.27)
- ☒ Specification Total Pages [26]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC §113) Total Sheets [4]
- Oath or Declaration Total pages [2]
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  - ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 complete)
  - ☐ DELETION OF INVENTORS  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR §1.76

- ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
  - ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ☐ Paper
  - ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
- ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS  
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
- ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
- ☐ Other: .....

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)of prior application No. 1

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Group/Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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Examiner Name	
Group/Art Unit	
Attorney Docket No.	7984

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Deposit Account Number **16-2480**Deposit Account Name **The Procter & Gamble Company**
☒ Charge Any Additional Fee ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §127  
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Large Fee Code	Entity Fee Code	Small Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201	Utility filing fee	[710]
106	320	206	Design filing fee	
107	490	207	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	Provisional filing fee	
<b>SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)</b>				<b>[710]</b>

**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Fee From  
Extra Claims Below Fee Paid

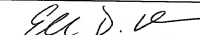
Total Claims [68] - 20\*\* = [48] x [18] = [864]  
 Independent Claims [4] - 3\*\* = [1] x [80] = [80]  
 Multiple Dependent ☐ = ☐  
 \*\* or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee Code	Small Fee Code	Fee Description
103	18	203	9 Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40 **Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9 **Reissue claims in excess of 20 over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)** [944]**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee Code	Small Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner's action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner's action	
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within 1 <sup>st</sup> month	
118	390	218	195 Extension for reply within 2 <sup>nd</sup> month	
117	890	217	445 Extension for reply within 3 <sup>rd</sup> month	
118	1,390	218	695 Extension for reply within 4 <sup>th</sup> month	
128	1,890	228	945 Extension for reply within 5 <sup>th</sup> month	
119	310	219	155 Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220 Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50 Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240 Submission of IDS	
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
149	710	249	355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	710	249	355 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____				
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\* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid **SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)** ☐**SUBMITTED BY**

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